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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION, UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Dear Honorable Commissioner:

In response to an Office Action mailed June 21, 2004, Applicants respectfully submit the following Amendment and Request for Reconsideration ("RCE"), Under 37 CFR §1.111. Transmitted herewith, please find a petition and fee for a one month extension of time, under 37 CFR §1.17(a)(1), extending the shortened statutory time period for response to October 21, 2004. Applicants request amendment and reconsideration of the claims of the present patent application, in view of the following remarks.

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Amendments to the Claims begin on p. 14

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